



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Application No.: 10/537,091**

Group Art Unit: 2877

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Examiner: Fannie L. Evans

Title: SYSTEM FOR COLLECTING INFORMATION ON  
BIOLOGICAL PARTICLES

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**Mail Stop Amendment**

May 22, 2008

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action (hereinafter 'Action') mailed March 5, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

	<b>Claims remaining after</b>		<b>Highest number previously paid for</b>		<b>Present extra</b>
<b>Total</b>	19	-	20	=	0
<b>Independent</b>	6	-	3	=	3